

Will Rogers in Sol Smith Russell's famous stage play. You will laugh through tears at Rogers in this picture.

John Gilbert in "HONOR FIRST"

And, "King of the Kiwakis"

Mia May in a big spectacular production "ABOVE ALL LAW" And a Good Comedy.

Will Rogers in "A POOR RELATION"

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AGREEMENTS REACHED ON COSTS OF PAVING

A. E. Jackson Now Is Superintendent of Banks

NAME GRAY AS ONE OF KIDNAPPING GANG

VICTIM TELLS OF "HOLD UP"

Fred Eubanks Avers He Was in Party Which Was Halted in Road

RECONIZED GRAY COURT INFORMED

Automobile Driver Put Gray Out of Car Near Scene, He Says

(Associated Press.)

BASTROP, La., Jan. 18.—Newt Gray was a member of the masked party which, on August 24, held up Watt Daniel, T. F. Richards and several others on the highway, between Bastrop and Mer Rouge, according to Fred Eubanks, testifying today at the open hearing here into the kidnapping and murder of Daniel and Richard.

Counsel for Gray, who was on the stand yesterday, objected to certain questions put to Gray by the state on the ground they were of the "third degree" variety and Judge Odum ruled that the witness would not be required to answer interrogations that might involve statements of a possible incriminating nature.

Eubanks said he resided near Newt Gray's home and was a visitor in Bastrop on August 24.

"Returning to your home that day were you held up?"

"Yes, sir. Men wearing black masks held me up."

"Did you recognize anyone?"

"Yes, sir. Newt Gray."

"After that were you permitted to go home?"

"Yes, sir. I went on home and later went to church."

"Mr. Gray was a member of that church?"

"Yes, sir, but he wasn't present that night."

Rufus Eubanks, 18, of Mer Rouge, the first witness today, testified that on August 24, he had taken Newt Gray in Gray's automobile from Bastrop and had dropped him on the road at a point within 200 yards of the place where the hold up occurred.

Gray previously had testified that Eubanks had acted as his chauffeur that day.

Fred Eubanks was excused after he said he did not see Gray any more until the following morning.

J. Butt Jones was the next witness. He said he did not hear of the kidnapping until the next day after it happened.

"Had you heard any talk to indicate there would be a kidnapping?"

"No, sir, except that I heard there was a stir up around Mer Rouge about white lightning."

Jones testified he was a member of the Ku Klux Klan.

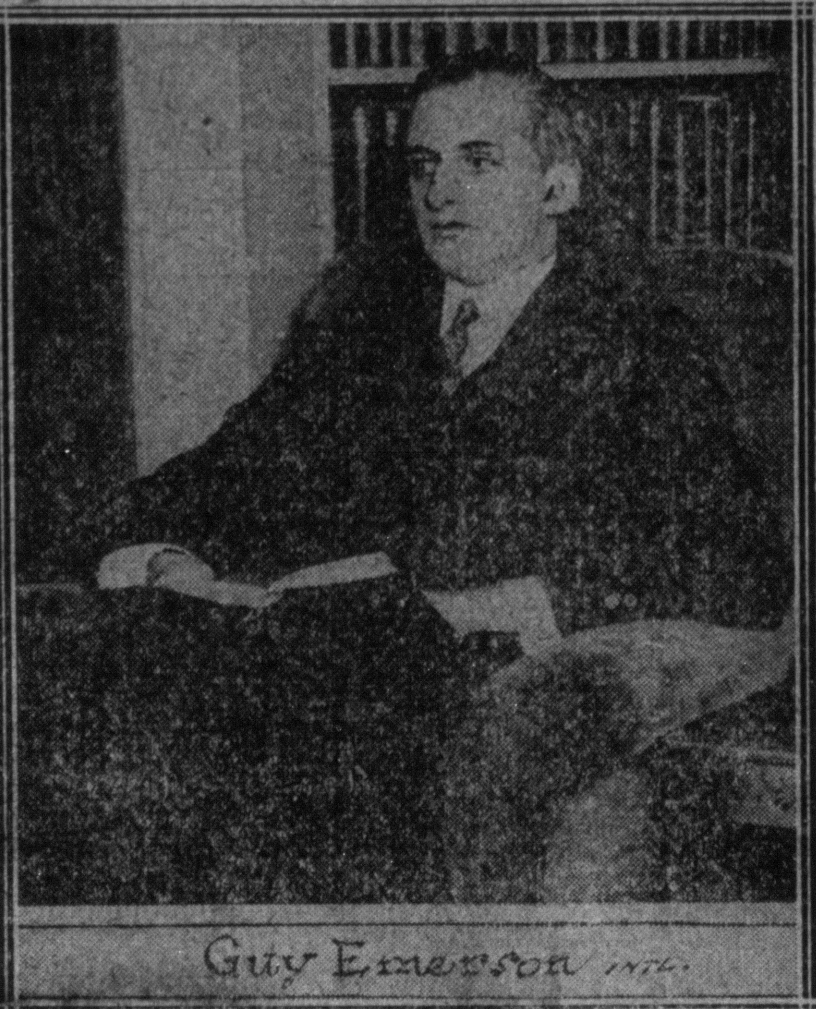
BILL ADVERSED.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—(Special)—If the Legislature enacts a law prohibiting state officials from employing relatives in their offices the House of Representatives must take Representative Fite's bill from the adverse calendar. The House judiciary committee voted about two to one Wednesday afternoon against a favorable report.

LAW ENFORCEMENT DAY.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—(Special)—The first proclamation to the people of Alabama issued by Governor Brandon today designated February 22 as Law Enforcement Day in Alabama and called upon all citizens to meet in school houses and other public places and rededicate themselves to the strict observance of all laws.

Youngest Real Banker In United States



Guy Emerson

Guy Emerson, just turned 33, a Harvard graduate, has been made Vice-President of the Bankers' Trust Company of New York, one of the largest financial institutions in America. He is also manager of the American Bankers' Convention of 12,000 delegates.

SHERROD NAMED AS LAWRENCE OFFICER

Announcement was made this morning of the appointment of C. M. Sherrod as deputy solicitor of Lawrence County by District Solicitor D. C. Almon.

Mr. Almon stated this morning that Mr. Sherrod succeeded himself, and that with his appointment the roster of deputy solicitors for this district is complete. The other deputy solicitors appointed by Mr. Almon are Earnest Bland, of Cullman; Fred Wall, of Limestone, and Addison White, of Madison. The deputy solicitor of Morgan County, T. C. Almon, was elected to his office.

His election was made necessary because of a special bill prepared by Colonel Tennis Tidwell, D. C. Almon and A. G. Harris. This same bill also provided for the sitting of a county court in Morgan, with civil jurisdiction.

The bill provided for the appointment of the judge of this court by the Governor and the naming of the solicitor of the court by the District Solicitor "who should serve until the next regular election." This clause of the bill was taken to mean that the deputy solicitor should be elected in the general election hence T. C. Almon offered for election last fall and received a substantial majority over his opponents.

TO INSTALL OFFICERS

On Monday night the following officers of the local Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be installed at a regular meeting to be held there: F. M. Hamilton, Noble Grand; J. A. Thornhill, Vice Noble Grand; Geo. W. Norwood, Recording Secretary; A. C. McCord, Financial Secretary; John F. Lovin, Treasurer.

OATES REELECTED.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—(Special)—William C. Oates, executive officer of the Alabama securities commission, today was reelected to his position by the new securities commission composed of President A. G. Patterson and Commissioners H. F. Lee and Frank P. Morgan of the public service commission.

POSSIBLE FLAW IN PORT AID ACT

Friends Are Confident Will Find Some Way Around Difficulty

STATE NOT TOLD TO ISSUE BONDS

Another Election Will Be Necessary Many Persons Believe

(Associated Press.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—Senate leaders today were searching for means of remedying alleged defects found by lawyers in the Mobile port amendment, ratified by the people by overwhelming vote, of the people last November.

The development came out when senators began discussion of the proposed enabling act, which would put the amendment into effect. According to attorneys in conference with senate leaders the hitch is that the amendment, as ratified, did not specifically provide that the state should issue bonds. While the state, under the amendment could appropriate \$10,000,000 for development of the port, there is doubt among the lawyers that the state can be surety of obligations, which would assume the indebtedness contemplated.

It was set forth also by the advisers of the senate that while the state may engage in improvements to the amount of \$10,000,000, the governor cannot affix his signature to an issue of bonds, because no provision is made in the amendment for the issuance of such bonds.

Leaders of the port improvement expressed themselves as confident that some way would be found around the newly discovered difficulty, if such really exists.

A number of senators saw only one way around the alleged defect. They suggested that the legislature should proceed to enact enabling laws, to become effective when bonds are voted, and that 90 days after the legislature adjourns, the people could again pass upon the question in regular order at the polls.

If the proposal is ratified, the bonds would be immediately marketable and the work of port improvement would not be greatly delayed.

Discovery of the alleged flaw created a flurry about the capital.

ONE PLAN OPEN

(Associated Press.) BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 18.—Sidney J. (Continued from page 1)

Tax Exemption Code Attacked By Legislator

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—Are the exemption sections of the code and the exemption statutes which relieve large industries from the payment of ad valorem taxes during the first ten years of their existence invalid and unconstitutional? This became an important question in the Legislature today when a resolution suggesting the fact was introduced in the House by Representative C. W. Ashcraft, of Lauderdale.

The resolution called upon the attorney-general to make an investigation and if convinced that the exemption sections are invalid to advise the tax commission with the view of having the property of the exempted industries assessed for taxation. The resolution was referred to the rules committee.

SOLONS RECEIVE FLOOD OF BILLS

Moon Is Confirmed By The Senators To Be Adjutant-General

BRANDON SENDS 2ND MESSAGE

Names of Trustees of the Deaf and Blind School Withdrawn

(Associated Press.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—If a bill, favorably reported to the senate today, becomes law, the Alabama Bar Association, would become a quasi-public institution, which, through a commission from its own membership, would regulate admission to the practice of law, make rules, and govern practices of the profession and have the authority to discipline its members, even to the point of disbarment.

(Associated Press.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—The introduction of numerous bills featured the opening of the Alabama legislature this morning at 10 o'clock, following meetings of committees held yesterday.

Governor Brandon sent to the senate the nominations of Colonel Hartley A. Moon for appointment as adjutant general of the state, which was confirmed immediately, followed by the confirmation of A. E. Jackson, of Hartsville, to succeed H. H. Montgomery, superintendent of banks of the state.

In a special message to the senate, Governor Brandon withdrew the names of the board of trustees for the deaf and blind school at Talladega, sent in last week by Governor Kilby and confirmed by the body at that time.

Senator John Craft, of Mobile, put in a bill to prohibit the emptying of oil from any boats on rivers in the state, or on the surface of any body of water in Alabama.

Two bills were introduced in the house by Henry R. Howze, of Jefferson, the first seeking to have a commission appointed to make uniform all state laws that may appear to be conflicting in any part and another seeking to simplify several laws that are in force at present.

State Commander Will Be Visitor At Legion Meet Here

According to Judge Thomas W. Wert, post commander of the Morgan County Post of American Legion, General R. E. Steiner, state post commander and Col. Laurie the adjutant of General Steiner, will be present the evening of January 25, when a special meeting of the Morgan County World War veterans will be held. Judge Wert added that J. Fred Johnson of Florence would also attend the meeting the night of January 25.

PREPARE LABORATORY

Doctors Havens, Austin and McRee, were busy at the county unit health departments this morning, straightening up the apparatus and getting everything ready for the formal opening of the Tennessee Valley laboratory.

Realty Dealer Is Pleased at Outlook

"More business was done by our firm" stated a prominent real estate man this morning "during this month up to date, than we have ever done in any previous two months in any previous year." The same man explained that prices for real estate had remained well up with no decline in sight.

WEATHER.

FOR ALABAMA—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Warmer in east portion tonight. Cooler Friday.

WILL DIRECT THE MAKERS OF WOMEN'S APPAREL



David W. Mosessohn

David W. Mosessohn, of New York, has been selected by the Women's Apparel Makers for a position analogous to that of Judge Landis in baseball, Will Hays in the movies and Augustus Thomas in the drama. He will be the arbiter on all questions concerning the industry, and his decisions will be final. It is said his salary will be \$50,000 a year.

WAR BULLETINS

Coal Barons are Tried

(Associated Press.)

ESSEN, Jan. 18.—The French military authorities today instituted court martial proceedings against six Rhur District coal magnates, whose names were withheld.

They were charged with refusing to obey orders of the military authorities in the territory under state of siege.

The magnates have not been taken into custody.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—After a meeting of the French cabinet today it was stated in official quarters that the policy of passive resistance adopted by the Germans, was regarded as of great danger to the peace of Germany.

Continuation of the present attitude of the Berlin government and the Rhur industrialists, it was stated, gave rise to fears that the nationalist spirit may be aroused to such a pitch as to provoke serious trouble.

It was pointed out that the reaction had already been felt in upper Silesia, where secret societies are reported to be exerting great efforts to bring about strikes.

The French policy in the Rhur it was emphasized, is to facilitate industrial activities in the Rhur, rather than to place obstacles in the way as charged by the Germans.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Italy has taken definite steps to impress upon the British and the French governments that she regards the present situation in the Rhur as fraught with great danger and although not taking the position of an actual mediator, has earnestly suggested that any further forcible steps toward the collection of German reparations be taken only after the most mature consideration.

Boozer Pitts New Coach for Auburn

(Associated Press.)

AUBURN, Ala., Jan. 18.—John E. Pitts, assistant coach at A. P. I. (Auburn) today was named head coach to succeed Mike Donahue, according to announcement by athletic authorities of the institution.

"Gob" Wilson, former University of Michigan star and Douglass Koby, University of Michigan halfback, will be Pitts' assistants.

WAY OPENED TO TO RESUME WORK

Agreements Approved By Kyle and Made Part of Record

COST OF PAVING IS SCALED DOWN

Based on the Present Prices of Street Improvement

What is regarded by attorneys as the termination of the long drawn out controversy over certain street assessments in the city of Albany was reached this morning, when a mutual agreement was entered into by the contending parties, which was approved by Judge Ocoila Kyle sitting as circuit judge.

The controversy began several years ago, when the Albany city council voted the so-called "\$400,000.00 street paving program."

Some time after the action of the council directing the paving to proceed, and after the required assessments had been levied, injunction suits were brought by Decatur Land company officials and others.

After litigation, the supreme court upheld the contention of the complainants, and very recently the Albany city council by resolution agreed that the findings of the present city engineer, M. S. Bingham, as to what would at this time be considered a just and equitable price for the said paving program, should be accepted by the city in case an agreement could be reached with the attorneys who had secured the injunctions against the city of Albany collecting the assessments, as originally made.

The city of Albany has been represented in the case by former city attorney Col. Tidwell, and by Melvin Huisen, the present city attorney, of Albany.

Those who sought the injunctions were represented by Eyster and Eyster, Callahan and Harris.

Albany's Resolutions Taken Up.

The resolution of the city of Albany passed recently, which gave authority for a compromise settlement, was taken before Judge Kyle by attorneys, as was the whole record in the long controversy, including the basis of agreement as determined upon by attorneys on both sides. Judge Kyle entered the agreement as a part of the court record, which action it is said virtually ends the whole matter and opens the way for the city of Albany to begin its important street paving program which has been held up by the courts for a number of years.

A Reduced Price of Around 40 Per Ct. It was estimated by one attorney that the original cost price was scaled down, around forty per cent.

About 80 cases, relative to the injunction suits were settled by the agreement sanctioned by Judge Kyle. Although the injunctions have not been formally dismissed as yet, it is believed they will be shortly.

Legislature For The Ford Offer

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—Congress was memorialized by resolution of the Alabama legislature today to accept the offer of Henry Ford for the development of Muscle Shoals. The resolution was offered by Senator Duncan of Limestone and after adoption by the Senate was adopted by the House.

The resolution provides for the appointment of a joint committee of the House and Senate which will be charged with the duty of lending any aid possible to the movement for the acceptance of the offer.

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WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE OF HENRY FORRY'S BID FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.

"AN EMPIRE IN THE BUILDING" FROM SOUTHERN OPPORTUNITIES.

The "Southern Opportunities" magazine published in this state, has on its 10th page a valuable article entitled: "An empire in the building". In an early issue of this splendid publication there will appear pictures with a suitable accompanying article, of plowing going on during this month on a farm near the Twin Cities; also pictures will appear in the same magazine of companies of men laying tile for the purpose of draining some of the rich Tennessee river land near Albany and Decatur.

"Southern Opportunities" should be largely read by people in the cold northern countries. When they see that plowing is going on here in the month of January they will sit up and take notice. And when they are told that the land in the South can be worked the whole year round and from three to four and more crops made in a year's time, again our northern brothers and sisters will sit up and take notice.

The article "an empire in the building" shows among other things that since 1880, to 1900 the increase in products was 151 per cent; from 1900 to 1910, the percent increase was 407; from 1910 to 1920 the increase in products was 1474 percent! In the whole United States the increase in products from 1910 to 1920 was only 1062 per cent. Thus the south is shown to have produced over 400 per cent more products in the last ten years than the rest of the country. The following matter from this article entitled—"did you know?" will prove of interest:

That due to carpetbagger rule and hard times after the Civil War more than 4,500,000 Southern-born white people moved to other parts of the United States between 1865 and 1875?—That this was as great a drain as the war itself?

That today 60 percent of all the cotton consumed in American plants is used by Southern plants, and with the ratio rapidly increasing?

That the South turns out practically one-third of all the country's mineral values—yet was a trifling factor in 1880?

That the value of Southern manufactures increased 25 per cent, faster than anywhere else in America between 1910 and 1920?

That 55 per cent. of all the oil fields in America are in the Southern States?

That the estimated coal supply in the South is sufficient to supply 20 million American families with ten tons of coal each year for 200 years?

That in the South is 40 percent of the timber of the United States?

That Southern ports are hundreds of miles nearer to the Middle West than any others?

THE VALUE OF HOME PRODUCTS.

The products of the land of any country is the foundation for all the business which comes to every locality. It is not an exception in the Tennessee Valley. The land here is as good as the best, and from year to year, in many instances without any provision for its upkeep, it constantly returns millions of dollars in revenue to those who till the soil.

Where it is given a chance, and something put back each year for that which is taken off, it increases in fertility and likewise the remuneration in crop values is correspondingly increased. It is said by crop experts, that this is the great fault in this country. From year to year the land is allowed to leech out during the winter months, when it is stated if it were sown in some kind of cover crops, the land could be saved, the soil retained, and a greater reward expected from one harvest to the other.

In very few instances is hay grown in sufficient

quantities to supply the demands made by local planters, and it is the rule to buy much hay and other feed stuffs from our sister state Tennessee.

Up to a few years ago, great quantities of lard and meats of various kinds were shipped from other states to this one. This rule has been made an exception during the past few years, since the advent of pure bred hogs here, and now great quantities of pork are annually butchered, enough for all needs in many cases, with considerable quantities to spare. With pure bred hogs it is possible to raise larger ones at 9 and 10 months old, than formerly could be raised at two years old, with the "pine rooster" variety. Not only is this noted, but also that the quality of the meat is finer.

The same rule applies to the average poultry flock, for in the last comparative few years, finer fowls have been secured, and the mongrels culled out. More eggs and thriftier birds are the result, and today there are many who follow the poultry industry, and derive from it a valuable assist in the expenses of the family from year to year.

It is now possible to see in every locality some fine blooded Jersey cows, where formerly poor milkers were the rule. Beef stock is also receiving the attention it deserves, and this likewise has proved remunerative to those who have persistently followed the raising of them.

GENUINE HOSPITALITY.

The South has long been known for the quality of its hospitality. This was not confined to any one section, but every home was a haven for the traveler, and amid its sacred confinements, it was an harbor of rest for the weary, and a place where the stranger found comfort and succor. Unlike many sections there is not the degree of suspecting held by the people of the South as is found in many instances in other sections of the country, but there is on the contrary, a very noticeable divergence from this feature.

Especially is this true in the rural districts, out among the homes of those who dwell in the country districts. Even travelers, rank strangers to the household are given shelter and food practically upon every appeal for it. The only excuse in many instances which is advanced, is "if you can stand the fare you are welcome." And you are welcome. The very best the family has is at one's disposal, and not infrequently when the guest is ready to depart, and asks for his bill, he is met with the response, "not a thing". "If you ever pass this way again, stop in".

Would not the whole world be just a little better if this was the rule, rather than the exception? We are all creatures of like hopes and fears, and if the principle of hospitality was practiced more universal, would there not be evolved from its practice, a greater degree of solidarity in that fact that "we be brethren"?

In many instances this is but the application of the Golden Rule, and requires a great deal of grit and grace to practice it. As a rule we are always ready to do something for some one who has done something for us, but reverse it, and let the case be some one who has never done anything for us, or state it this way, we to be the one who is asking something at the hands of some one whom we have never done anything for, there is where the application of the principle meets its highest peak of expression, and is where we stumble and fall in so many instances.

NATURE'S STOREHOUSE.

The great storehouses of nature yet hold unlimited resources of wealth and power, as yet undiscovered. There is recorded from time to time this great fact as some discovery is made of some great fact, and with it comes a substance of some character making antique the means now used in the arts and sciences.

It is stated upon good authority that the possibilities of the application of the power of electricity, is the source from which the great discoveries are to come in the future. No one as yet seems to understand it in its entirety, this statement warranted by those who have made a life time study of its principles. The many modes in which a current of electricity is used, are almost limitless now. When other discoveries are made, this large number will be swelled to an enormous total.

Like the air and other great forces of nature, electricity is invisible, and this is authority for the statement that the greatest forces of which we have any knowledge are likewise invisible.

With all our boasted knowledge of intricate things, the things of nature, there may be all about us, existing from the beginning of time, forces yet undiscovered, and which when brought to the attention of an inquiring world, will thoroughly revolutionize what we now call modern methods, thought at this time to be the very last word in the several lines of discovery.

FREE GARDEN SEEDS.

Drop a tear. Free garden seeds will no more be received by the constituency of our congressman and senators. A bill seeking to perpetuate this old political idea of congressmen past and present, was killed recently.

No doubt it was considered a great pull with the congressmen who annually were alert to the distribution of the small package of seeds. But, it got to be a joke with many, and some humorous comment was made by practically every one who received a package. During political years there always happened to be more seed of this character, and the remark was often made at that time, "must be an election on hand". But congressmen and senators are but human beings, and the use of garden seed has no doubt made and held many a vote for them. If the money appropriated for garden seeds had been spent for school books for poor children, there would have been far greater results.

ALL COMMON CLAY.

It was the custom of the Caliph, Haroun-al-Raschid, according to legend, to go among his subjects in disguise and Napoleon frequently fraternized with groups of troopers without being recognized. The story is told of a young man named McArthur who was industriously "digging in" in a shelltorn sector of Flanders Field, when he was recognized by a "buck" private, his only companion, as a major general, commander of the division. The other day Warren G. Harding went shopping unaccompanied and was recognized by no more than a dozen people. One young woman thought he was the president but was reassured when her companion said the figure going by just looked like the president.

One of the greatest disappointments in life is to find that a hero is made of common clay, and yet some one makes that discovery every day. Distinguished personages seldom possess a dominating personality or radiate an indefinable something that places them above the crowd, as is popularly supposed. They do not live withdrawn, with haloes over, or horns on their heads. An obvious outward sign of inward power is a rarity.

In romances the heroine recognizes a king in an assembly because only the king wears a head-dress, or in some other manner of dress indicates superiority. James, Scotland's king, differed very little from the frequenters of his court. Great men, usually observed when surrounded with symbols of authority and as recipients of homage from the mass, attain a stature in popular imagination which they do not possess in fact.

Persons who achieve prominence, however, have qualities which are not reflected in their appearance. Many of the greatest men are normal physically and mentally, and are distinguished only because they have unlimited capacity for hard work and the power to concentrate and direct

their energies towards the accomplishment of specified tasks.—Laurel Leader.

This grand government under which we are permitted to live should have the patriotic support of every man and woman who enjoys its liberties and privileges. All make errors, some break laws through intent, some through ignorance, but the heart of the great American people is clean and will do anything to uphold the institutions established by the self sacrificing men who builded them from the beginning, giving their all that we might live in peace and pursue our ways unmolested as long as do not interfere with the rights of others.

There is evidence that there is organized effort to break down the peaceful progress of society and that crime in the United States is being committed by an element that will not hesitate to override law and order, but woe be it to them in the final outcome.

Every day press reports bring to our people accounts of murder, theft and other crimes so appalling as to make the blood run cold and if happiness is to be given our people the perpetrators must be brought to justice which will deter others, so inclined to think twice before they transgress the rights of others.

The awfulness of the Louisiana murders is an instance of what may be the portion of other sections and the prosecutions now being conducted there will no doubt have a tendency to check stabbing in the dark.

Gov. W. W. Brandon has been tried in the service of the public, filling various positions of trust with integrity. He may be depended upon to occupy the Gubernatorial chair in a level-headed way, and it is a safe prediction that when his term of office expires he will have conducted affairs of Alabama in such ways as will not only be approved by his constituents but he will have the consciousness of having served so faithfully as to gain his own approval.

We are fast getting by the point of hog sausage and spare ribs and backbone, out to the time of the blue bird's song and the robin's familiar tweet tweet. We pass almost unconsciously from one season to another, and its hours speed by so rapidly that we can hardly account for them, as they make days, weeks and months.

Jazz is noisy but it is not music.

Political bed fellows change their sleeping quarters after the election.

The departures of those who die of drinking bootleg booze are sad; but such exits can hardly be said to decrease the sum total of human intelligence.

Happy is he who knows his limitations, and then stops at the limit.

WORKERS CONFIDENT OF FINAL VICTORY

Mrs. L. P. Troup, speaking for Albany woman's division, said she was sure she would have her work completed by Saturday night. She has some fifty or sixty workers working the block system in Albany and she feels sure that everyone will respond to the appeal being made at this time.

Jesse Wood, Salvation Army Activities Secretary, said he was sure the ladies would put Albany and Decatur on the map for 100 per cent for the Salvation Army. He said the chairman, Mrs. L. P. Troup, and Mrs. J. N. Gibson, for the woman's division of the two towns were working hard to put this drive over, and that everyone they called on has responded very cheerfully, and are giving a full support to the Salvation Army drive. He feels sure that the cities under the leadership of their chairmen will raise their full part of the budget.

W. W. Rahm, Ed Baird, Dave Perkins, Charles Rountree and J. F. Lovin for the Albany business district will put Albany over the top by Friday night. Captains Hodson and Roberts of the Louisville and Nashville shops are determined to make the shops come up to their past reputation. It is understood that the Electrical Department has already gone 100 per cent; that the Boiler Shop and Blacksmith Shop will be 100 by night, as well as the Machine Shop, which is expected to go 100 per cent by tonight. There is quite a little competition among the various foremen in their departments as to whom would secure the largest and most subscriptions in the drive.

J. O. Richards, has challenged the other departments to come to his standard of 100 per cent. Each member of the Electrical Department has already given \$4.00 cash, and Mr. Richards expects to double this amount in his department. Other departments claim that they will go as strong as Mr. Richards, and are determined to see that they do so.

Mrs. Gibson, speaking for the woman's division for Decatur, said this morning that reports were coming in, and that she is very much pleased with the outlook at the present time. She says call upon the public to respond when the committee calls on them so that there will be no call backs to be made. She is very confident—that her division will get their full quota of the \$3700.00 budget.

Dr. Joseph Wallace, speaking for the Decatur business men's team, said he was sure that his division would come up to what is expected to them. He said "we cannot afford to stint any organization that has endeared themselves to the public as the Salvation Army has, and is calling on the Decatur business men to see that everyone in the district is given an opportunity to subscribe."

Possible Flaw In Port Aid Act

(continued on page two.)

Bowie, speaking for the campaign committee in charge of the port amendment, declared that proponents of the proposal had known of the flaw in the amendment for some time and that if it proved a legal deterrent, there was only one course of procedure—re-submit the amendment.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, MORGAN COUNTY, PROBATE COURT, JANUARY 15th, 1923.

In the matter of the Estate of Earl Tapscott, Thomas Tapscott and Wesley Tapscott, minors.

WHEREAS, Mrs. Annie Bently, as Guardian of the Estate of above named minors, has filed her account, vouchers, evidence and statement for partial settlement of her said Guardianship of Thomas and Wesley Tapscott, and for a final settlement as to Earl Tapscott, and the 6th day of February 1923 has been appointed in which to hear the same.

All persons in interest are hereby notified to appear before the said Court on the said 6th day of February 1923, to contest the said settlement if they think proper.

Given under my hand this 15 day of January 1923.

L. P. Troup, Judge of Probate.

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We can fit most any foot in this range of style, Black and Brown. Rubber heels, Oak sole, Russia Calf leather tanned by Schmidt and absolutely are guaranteed same as usual. Money back or a new pair if not satisfied.

Two day Sale, for that will clear them out and our new stock will be in.

MANHATTAN SHIRT SALE CLOSES SATURDAY



DAILY WANT COLUMN

WANTED TO BUY—Several houses for rental purposes. If you have one or more in South or West Albany, call at my office. J. A. Thornhill.

BUSINESS—Is uncertain, hard to handle, but by keeping after rents, fire insurance, loans, collections, and other business of mine, keep it before me. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four good used ranges. Three dressers. Four oil cook stoves all at big bargains. Schimmel and Hunter Furniture Co. 18-3t.

FOR SALE—My stock of groceries, refrigerator, display counter, show cases, meat boxes, counter scales and platform scales, will sell in part or all together. Apply at 429 West Market Street. 16-6t

FOR SALE OR RENT—8 room house, arranged in two apartments. Furnace heated, centrally located. Owner leaving town. Quick action desired. Call B. F. Austin. 16-1t

FOR SALE—The Scott Block, Decatur, fronting 50.4 ft on Bank st by 100 ft on Lafayette st, with vacant lot in rear. Standard walls, 25,000 sq. ft. cellar, 5,000 sq. ft. store space. Ten offices 2nd floor. Twelve offices 3rd floor. All outside rooms, light, well ventilated with high ceilings. This property is being offered for sale for division at less than value and at one price to all. Cash or terms. Thos. E. Pride, sale agent, Lyons Hotel Building, Decatur, Ala., Phone 43. Jan. 16-1t.

RESIDENCES in East Town, South Town, West Town, Central Albany and in Austinville, for sale cheap. Otto Moebes, Real estate. 15-1t.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One large well furnished front room, lower floor, furnace heated, hot water, close in, convenient to meals. Apply at 409 Grant Street. Phone Albany 407 W. Mrs. Virginia Graham. 18-3t.

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 316 East Lafayette Street, Decatur Ala. 18-3t.

FOR RENT—Store No. 414, Bank Street, Decatur. Apply to W. G. Henry, 1015 So. 12th St., Birmingham, Ala. 17-6t.

FOR RENT—Large furnished bed room at 222 Gordon Drive. 17-3t.

OFFICE ROOMS FOR RENT—Over Tibery's Drug Store. Phone Chas. Alexander at Echols Hotel. 16-6t.

FOR RENT—One front room in flat on 2nd Avenue. C. L. Peck 16-3t.

FOR RENT—Store Bldg, located at 513 Bank Street, formerly occupied by Dixie Tire & Accessory Co. 16-3t.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping to couple only. Apply to Mrs. J. R. Mainard, 427 E. Moulton St., Albany. 16-3t.

FOR RENT—Business house on Second Avenue, Swift and Co.'s former stand with switch track at side, suitable for wholesale, possession given Feb. 1. W. H. Aycock. 16-3t.

ALL OUTSIDE ROOMS FOR RENT for offices or to couples, in house of Chas. Alexander, Echols Hotel. 12-6t.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Diamond Stud, somewhere on either Moulton Street, Fourth Avenue or Grant Street. Return to Albany-Decatur Daily for liberal reward. 15-6t.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Pair of mules; one black, seven years old. Needed shearing badly. Other is sorrel mule, eleven years old. Any information leading to recovery will be rewarded. Write J. C. LeCroy, 304 1-2 Bank Street, Decatur. 17-3t.

LOST—Large Black and White Pointer Dog, 7 years old. Last seen near the end of Decatur-Moulton Pike, had on collar with name Rufus Person on it. Information will be rewarded. 13-1t.

\$5.00 Reward for the return of one black, red and white spotted female hound. Strayed in Decatur. 12-1t. D. S. Echols.

WANTED

WANTED TO RENT—You an electric carpet sweeper to clean your rugs and draperies. Schimmel and Hunter Furniture Co. 18-3t.

WANTED SALESMAN—Will arrange salary and expenses with good man. Write Clyde L. Rubber Company, South Bend, Indiana. 18-3t.

WANTED—Two neat appearing young men between the ages of 18 and 22 to travel with manager. Experience unnecessary. Apply between 6 and 8 p. m., Hilda Hotel, Mr. Twichig. 17-3t.

WANTED—Furnished Housekeeping rooms for young married couple. G. M. Baker, care C. O. Hawk, 324 5th Avenue West. 17-3t.

MISCELLANEOUS

SHOOT—At what? All the work you have at J. A. Thornhill, in real estate sales, rentals, collections, fire insurance deeds, mortgages. \$100 in cash for proof of a crooked deal in any of the above lines. J. A. Thornhill. 18-3t.

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved city property. Cain Wolcott & Rankin. 18-3t.

WE WANT YOU TO SEE—Some new dining, living and bed room suits that have come in lately. Schimmel and Hunter Furniture Co. 18-3t.

REPRESENTATIVES calling in homes, demonstrating "Muff, the Perfect Dry Cleaner," sold by Albany Drug Co. It is endorsed by well groomed men and women. Be good to your clothes and use "Muff." 18-3t.

Have you tried one of our little Sonora Cigars, a ten cent quality cigar for five cents. Phone McDougald & Woodard. advt. 1t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

ROSENTHAL-SLOAN MILLINERY CO. vs GEORGE J. FREIDKIN ET AL. CIRCUIT COURT, MORGAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY.

In this cause, it appears to the Register from the affidavit of Solicitor for Plaintiff, that the defendant, Harry Sherby is a non-resident of Alabama, over the age of 21 years, and resides in Washington, D. C. and that his street or other address is unknown. It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Albany-Decatur Daily, a newspaper published in Morgan County, requiring said defendant to plead, answer or demur to the bill in this cause by January 29, 1923, or in thirty days thereafter a decree him.

This December 29, 1922.
MARVIN WEST, Register.
Dec. 29-Jan. 5-12-19.

Nervous Work of Nature.
The fly's wing is one of the most perfect and delicate pieces of mechanism Nature has ever produced.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT, THE STATE OF ALABAMA, MORGAN COUNTY, PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Matt H. Banks, Deceased.

To Calista Banks, Chicago, Ill. You are hereby notified that Hewlett J. Banks, as the Administrator of Matt H. Banks, deceased, did on the 5 day of January, 1923, file in this Court his account and vouchers for a partial settlement of his administration of the said estate, and that the 5 day of February, 1923, is the day and time fixed by the Court for the hearing thereon, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper so to do. Given under my hand, this 5 day of January, 1923.

L. P. Troup, Judge of Probate. 12-19-26

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A Fieri Facias issued out of the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Morgan County and State of Alabama and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain Judgment recently obtained against P. R. Hutson, et al, out of goods, chattels, lands and tenements of the said P. R. Hutson I have levied on the following property to-wit:

Lot 1, Blk 44 D. L. & F. Co., No. 2, Addition to town of Albany, Ala.; Also Lot 17, Blk 123, D. L. & F. Co., No. 4, Addition to Town of Albany, Ala.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at Public Auction, all the right, title, and interest of the above-named P. R. Hutson in and to the above-described property, on the 12th day of Feb. 1923, during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House, Decatur, Ala.

Dated at Decatur Ala., this 9th day of January, 1923.
J. V. May, Sheriff Morgan County, Ala. 11-18-25 F. 1.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF Fieri Facias issued out of the Clerk's office of the Morgan County Court of Morgan County, and State of Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain Judgment recently obtained against Emma Whitehead, et al, out of the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of the said Emma Whitehead, et al, I have levied on the following property, to-wit: Lot beginning at N. E. Corner, Alabama and Pond Streets, running N. W. along Alabama St. 95 ft. East 180. South 95 ft. to Pond St. West 180 ft. to point of beginning, being in all four lots, at N. E. corner of Alabama and Pond Streets in Albany, Alabama, and all buildings belonging thereto.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at Public Auction, all the right, title and interest of the above-named Emma Whitehead in and to the above described property, on the 5th day of Feb. 1923 during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House in Decatur, Alabama.

Dated at Decatur, Ala., this 28th day of December, 1922.

J. V. MAY,
Sheriff Morgan County, Ala. D29-J5-12-19

BILL WOULD CUT GOVERNOR'S SALARY

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—The person who succeeds Governor William W. Brandon will be forced to serve the state for six thousand dollars a year if the first bill introduced in the House becomes a law. This bill offered by Representative N. E. Stewart, of Bibb became House Bill No. 1 and was referred to the committee on ways, means and appropriations by Speaker Merrill. The present salary of the governor is \$7,500.

Forty-nine bills were introduced in the House on the first call of counties, they covering almost every conceivable subject of legislation.

Governor Brandon's suggestion that the Legislature extend the time for the abolition of the convict lease system was followed shortly afterward by the introduction of a bill by Representative W. O. Walton, of Chambers, which provides that the law abolishing the system shall not become effective until January 1, 1927. This would extend the life of the lease system until fifteen days before the end of Governor Brandon's term. The bill was referred to the committee on penitentiary and criminal administration.

Governor Brandon's proposal was that no time be lost for the abolition, the matter being left to the discretion of the governor.

Another interesting bill proposed the prohibition of the employment of relatives in the offices held by state officials. It was offered by Representative Fred Fite of Jefferson, who introduced a similar bill when he represented Tuscaloosa county in 1915. At that time Mr. Fite received little support. This time Governor Kilby in his final message urged the Legislature to enact such a law. Mr. Fite's bill would prohibit the employment of any relative within the fifth degree of consanguinity and the third degree of affinity.

Representative Long, of Butler introduced a bill making it unlawful for any person holding a public office in the state which pays as much as six hundred dollars a year to lobby with any member of the legislature regarding any proposed legislation.

Mr. Long introduced another bill providing that credit shall be given any convict for time served in jail while awaiting a decision of the supreme or appellate court.

Representative St. John of Cullman introduced a bill repealing the entire revenue law of 1919. This bill would destroy the taxing machinery, abolish the coal and iron tonnage taxes and return the state to the revenue system of 1915 or such portion of it as was not repealed.

Selecting Rugs for Home.

One of the most important things to consider, when selecting rugs for the home, is that the rug should harmonize with its surroundings. Both coloring and design should be in keeping, since furnishings are of value only in their relation to one another.

"Due Process of Law."

The constitutions of the various states and the federal constitution contain no description of those processes which it was intended to allow or forbid by the various uses of the expression "due process of law." It is generally held to mean, however, law in its regular course of administration through courts of justice.

To "Thine Own Self Be True."

Let not your peace rest on the utterances of men, for whether they put a good or bad construction on your conduct does not make you other than you are.—Thomas a Kempis.

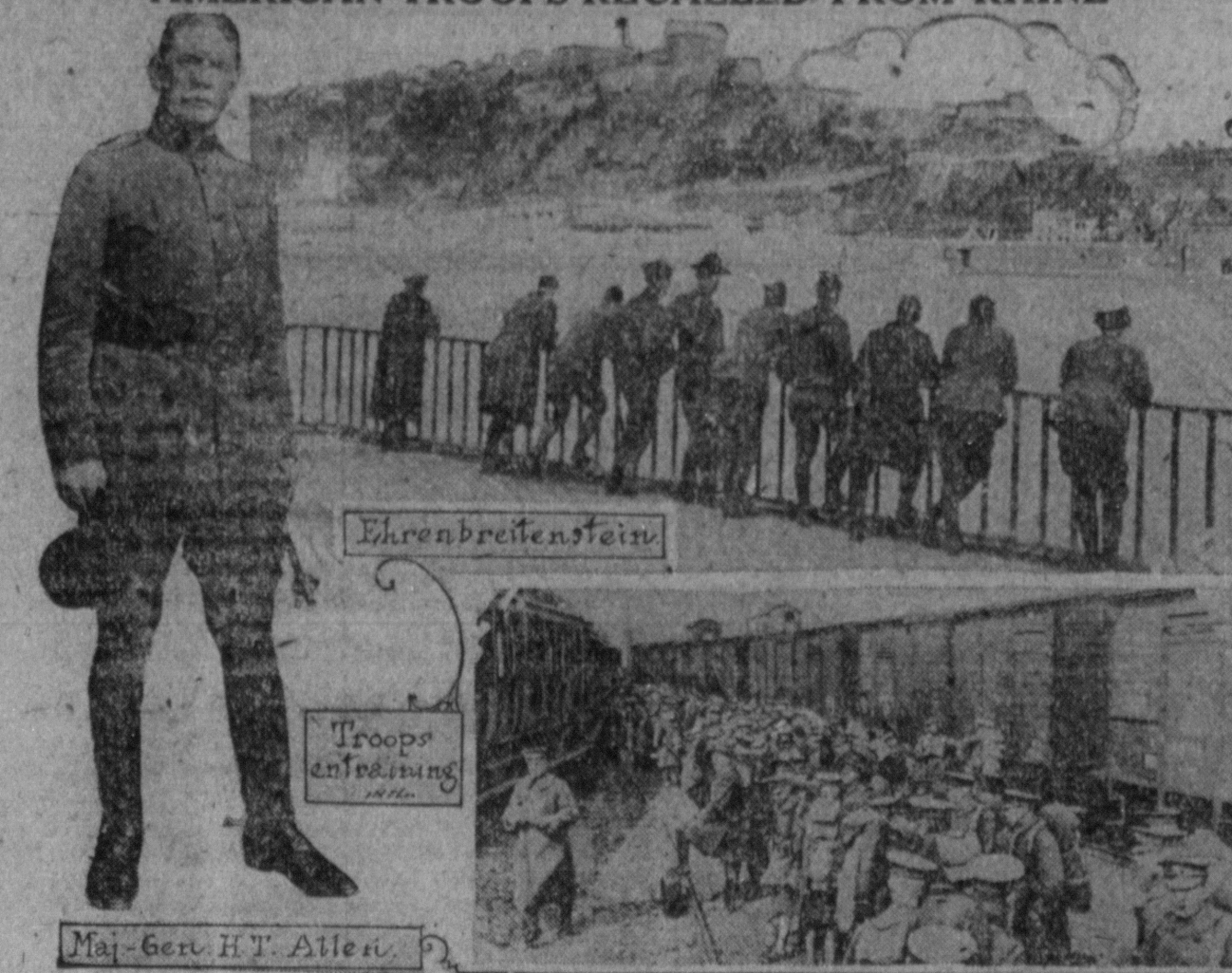
Counterfeiting Precious Stones.

A reconstructed sapphire is an imitation of that stone. When rubies are so counterfeited they tell the tale of the deceit by showing bubbles and possibly the same indication is displayed by the sham sapphire. It is probably the same as, or similar to, a doublet, which is made by two clear pieces of crystal with a color between.

Artificial Fruits for Table.

There is a man in a small village in the mountainside of northern Italy who carves from marble wonderfully natural fruits and puts them so skillfully and naturally that even horticulturists must inspect them closely to determine their artificiality.

AMERICAN TROOPS RECALLED FROM RHINE



As a kind of protest against French invasion of the Ruhr District, President Harding has ordered Major-General Henry T. Allen, commanding the American troops at Coblenz bridgehead, on the Rhine, to return with his men to America. These troops are taking their last look at Ehrenbreitstein, on a huge rock near Coblenz, once Germany's greatest fortress, which they have been occupying.

A. R. A. Ships Textiles To Russia For New War On Death-- Americans To Aid



More than one million Russian children and several million adults are practically without clothing this winter. They have no shoes or stockings, no shirts, no covering of any kind. The furniture in their homes was sold for food or burned for fuel during the famine of last winter. Now they are reduced to paper shirts, a single sack cloth garment or rags of a most pitiable character. Many of them are unable to go out of doors because they have nothing to wear and this condition is particularly dangerous since the only food that a million children are getting is served them in the American Relief Administration food kitchens where they receive one meal a day. The organization has no facilities for delivering food to homes and the parents themselves have nothing to eat, so

unless the children can go out of doors they will starve as surely as though there were no food to be had. They fear the bitter Russian winter even more than they do starvation.

"Unless clothing is supplied these people," writes a Russian relief worker to Herbert Hoover, chairman of the A. R. A., "they will die of exposure and starvation through the coming winter and much of our work during the past twelve months will have been in vain."

To meet this emergency the American Relief Administration has inaugurated a system of clothing remittance packages by which it is possible for friends and relatives to send immediate assistance to sufferers in Russia. Twenty dollars paid to the American Relief Administration headquarters, 42 Broadway New York City, will equip and de-

liver a clothing package to any individual in Russia. Each package contains enough material to supply an entire family and includes: Nearly 6 yards of dark warm wool cloth, enough for one suit of clothing for an adult and two garments for a child; 4 yards of black cotton flannel; 16 yards of muslin sufficient for 4 suits of underwear; 8 yards of flannelette sufficient for two men's shirts and women's shirt waist and buttons and thread to make up these garments. Several thousand banks and other organizations have agreed to accept and forward money for these clothing remittance packages and by special arrangement with the Soviet government they will be shipped free of duty and delivered at the earliest possible moment. Packages not marked for any individual will be given to the most needy cases.

NOTABLES ASKED ADDRESS SOLONS

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—The senate of Alabama adopted a joint resolution yesterday tendering an invitation to Rear Admiral W. S. Benson, former Senator Chamberlain and Frederick I. Thompson, members of the United States shipping board, to deliver addresses at a joint session of the Senate and House at the earliest possible moment on the subject of the merchant marine.

The resolution was offered in the Senate by Senator Craft, of Mobile and after adoption was sent to the House where it was referred to the rules committee for report.

Senator Craft's resolution follows: "Whereas, the people of the State of Alabama should be more fully informed and acquainted with the benefits to be derived from a merchant marine; therefore

"Be it resolved that the Senate, the House concurring, do hereby extend a cordial invitation to Admiral Benson, Senator Chamberlain and the Honorable Frederick I. Thompson, of the United States shipping board to address the joint session of the Legislature at their earliest convenience on the important question of the benefits of a merchant marine and the economic good to the State of Alabama and the people of America of a ship subsidy to keep the American flag afloat on the seas of the world, and that the said resolution be forthwith sent to the House for immediate concurrence and that the Governor of Alabama is hereby requested to transmit these resolutions to the above gentlemen."

Two Stills Taken By Raiding Party

Federal prohibition enforcement officers Root and Mize, assisted by state enforcement officers Campbell and Bell, destroyed two large copper stills Wednesday near Hillsboro in Lawrence County, according to Clyde Sharpe of Sheriff Poole's office.

The haul of the preparation called "beer," from which the distillers make the corn whiskey, amounted to 2,000 gallons. It is figured by those who are familiar with distilleries that 10 per cent of this "beer" is actual whiskey, so the loss to the bootleggers and the gain to the community amounts to 200 gallons of whiskey. The copper stills were valued at over a hundred dollars. The stills as well as the "beer" was all destroyed by the officers.

COTTON MARKET.

(Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Cotton futures opened firm. January 27-52; March 27-75; May 27-95; July 27-72; October 26-15.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bill will be introduced in the Legislature of Alabama at its session beginning on January 9, 1923, providing in substance that the Board of Revenue of Morgan County be authorized and directed to furnish to the Sheriff of Morgan County, for use in his official capacity, an automobile, the kind and character of said automobile to be determined by said Board of Revenue, also that the Board of Revenue of said County shall maintain said car in repair and provide fuel for its operation while in use by the Sheriff or his deputies on official business.

C. E. Poole,
J. 5-12-19-26-Feb. 2-5.

Extra Special Friday and Saturday Offerings:

One lot men's and young men's Overcoats, finely tailored all-wool garments, sold up to \$35.00 and worth it. Your choice **\$15.00**

One lot boy's all wool slip over Sweaters, sold for \$6.00. Your choice **\$3.00**

One lot boys' all wool slip over Sweaters, sold for \$4.00, your choice **\$2.00**

One lot boys' slip over Sweaters, 75 percent wool, your choice **\$1.75**

One lot men's coat Sweaters, only very few left at HALF PRICE.

Men's woolen Socks, extra heavy, at per pair **25c**

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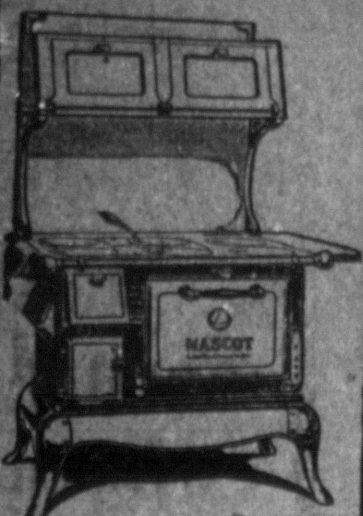
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SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Th. today

Thursday Club—Mrs. Harry Carpenter.
Auction Bridge Club—Mrs. J. W. Cunningham.

Fri. day

Friday Thirteen—Mrs. D. Perkins.
W. C. T. U.—3 P. M., Y. M. C. A.
Ferry Street Rook Club—Mrs. S. A. Lynne.
Canal Street Rook Club—Mrs. J. B. Flemming.
Silk Stocking Club—Mrs. Garner Pride.

Sat. day

Luncheon for Mrs. William Hatch, of Sheffield and Mrs. John Pointer, of Florence—1 p. m.—Mrs. William E. Crawford.
Saturday Club—Mrs. L. O. Troup.

MRS. CARSON HONORED

Mrs. Frank Lide gave a pretty bridge party Wednesday afternoon for her guest, Mrs. Wallace Carson, of Atlanta, Ga.

The game was played at three tables and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Milton Lipscomb for highest score and Mrs. Sheppard for low score. Mrs. Carson received a souvenir of the afternoon.

Included in Mrs. Lide's hospitality were Mrs. C. L. Sanders, Mrs. R. T. Sheppard, Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. Jackson Edwards, of Atlanta, Mrs. Milton Lipscomb, Mrs. William Crawford, Mrs. H. D. Greer, Miss Jimmie McCalla, Mrs. Garner Pride, Miss Marjory Workman, Miss Mary Penick and Mrs. Wallace Carson. After the game tempting refreshments were served.

DANCE

A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Happer and enjoyed a delightful dance last evening. After the dance coffee and sandwiches were served.

NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Alice Hutton was hostess to the Night Bridge Club last night with only club members present. Mr. John W. Jones made highest score and was awarded the club prize, after which refreshments were served.

WEDNESDAY CARD CLUB

Mrs. Emmet Himes entertained the Wednesday Card Club yesterday afternoon when only club members were present. Mrs. Phillip Humphrey won the club prize and later delightful refreshments were served.

Mrs. W. E. Wolcott, of Flint, Mich., will arrive today to spend the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Bob Wolcott.

Mrs. W. B. Shackelford is able to be up after a week's illness.

Misses Fern and Ane Royer will leave tonight for New York to visit eastern markets.

LUNCHEON ON SATURDAY

Mrs. William E. Crawford will compliment her house guests, Mrs. William Hatch, of Sheffield, and Mrs. John Pointer, of Florence, who is visiting her sisters, Mrs. P. Humphrey and Mrs. Milton Harvey, with a luncheon on Saturday.

MRS. McNEILL WILL ENTERTAIN

Mrs. McNeill will give a series of bridge parties next week on Wednesday afternoon and Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. John Pointer, of Florence, as honor guest.

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. W. R. Smith will entertain at bridge on Monday evening, at her home on Sherman street.

Mrs. William Hatch, of Sheffield, is the guest of Mrs. William Crawford. Mrs. Hatch will be pleasantly remembered as having visited here many times and was formerly Miss Maud Moore, of Nashville, and an old college mate of Mrs. Crawford.

Mrs. Ed Thomas, of Canton, Ohio, and mother, Mrs. Julia Williams, of Sheffield and Miss Pearl Smith, of Florence, returned to their homes after a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. Prince G. Putman at 206 Jackson Street.

Mrs. Nat Rosenzweig and daughters, Harriett and Marion, left this morning for their home in Indianapolis, Ind., after a six weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lesser. They will go to New York for a month's visit to his mother in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Peebles have returned from Florida.

Miss Primm Ligon, of Hermitage, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. O. W. Stinson.

Mrs. D. W. Irwin, of Hillsboro, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Irwin.

Mrs. Sara Jeffries is expected home the latter part of the week from a business visit to Arkansas.

Mrs. John Pointer, of Florence, will spend two weeks with her sisters, Mrs. Phillip Humphrey and Mrs. Milton Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Peebles returned this morning from a motor trip to points in Florida.

Mrs. J. M. Jamison, of Greenville, Miss., is expected to arrive tonight to be the guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. V. S. Jamison of Decatur. Mrs. V. S. Jamison who has been seriously ill for some time was reported a some better today.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Graves, a daughter on January 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wilkinson, Jr., of Madisonville, Ky., announce the birth of a son on January 16th.

KIWANIS TO MEET

The Kiwanis club will meet at 6:30 o'clock this evening at the club rooms in Decatur.

IF STOMACH IS SOUR,

FOOD WON'T DIGEST

No stomach filled with sour poisons can digest food. Everything you eat turns into more poison and gas, making you nervous and weak. Simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adierika, expels all sour poisons and gas from BOTH upper and lower bowel. Removes foul, decaying food-matter you never thought was in your system which caused sour and gassy stomach. Adierika is EXCELLENT to guard against appendicitis. Dillehay Bros. adv.

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Budding Romance Nipped

I was eight and he was ten. We attended the same school and our two grades were in the same room. When 4 o'clock came his grade rose and marched out of the room first. When he reached the door he would turn toward me slightly and I would wink at him. One evening the teacher caught me winking and kept me after school. You can imagine that put a quick stop to that budding romance. —Chicago Journal.

PERSONALS

Judge John C. Eyster has returned from Montgomery after a several days stay there.

L. M. Eubanks who has been seriously ill is reported better.

Paul Eubanks has been called home from the University of Alabama on account of the ill health of his father, L. M. Eubanks.

Rev. L. F. Goodwin is rapidly regaining his health, following a severe illness of several weeks.

C. W. Stinson is on a hunting trip to Etowah, Ala.

D. W. McGlathery, of Falkville, visited his son Dr. R. M. McGlathery yesterday.

T. D. Wilkinson is in Birmingham where he has accepted a splendid bookkeeping position.

W. B. Shackelford is sick at his home this week.

Judge John C. Eyster has returned from Montgomery and Birmingham where he has been on legal business.

Ezra Baker of Eva, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Ben-evolent hospital yesterday, is reported to be resting well.

Z. T. Holmes of Eva is attending Circuit court.

A. D. Holmes of Vinemont 4s in the Twin Cities today.

E. A. Wood, of Eva is attending circuit court.

W. B. Shackelford, cashier of the City National Bank, is reported seriously ill at his residence.

Dr. Frank P. Petty has returned from his vacation and resumed his practice.

COUNTY'S BAPTIST
WOMEN MEETING

According to the program committee of the Morgan County Woman's Missionary Union now in session at the Central Baptist church the convention closes at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Miss Kathleen Mallory, who is the Secretary of Women's work for the entire Southern Baptist church made the principal address at the morning session, and also at the afternoon session. Mrs. A. T. Hanson was chairman, and Mrs. Hiram S. Roberts was Secretary. The devotional exercises were followed by welcome and response addresses. Then the discussion of providing furnishings for the new dormitory at the Baptist Institute at Newton was taken up. Mrs. W. J. Garnett was one of the speakers on this important subject. Mrs. Garnett's address was scheduled for this afternoon and to follow the opening devotion as led by Mrs. John Thompson.

Two p. m. this afternoon was set as "Young People's Hour," and the devotional exercises were led by Ruby Britnell. The roll call of young people's organization was then taken. Four minute talks were then called for on the campaign for organizing more fully in the county, as led by Ruth Halbrooks. A duet was the next exercise on the program by Misses Sewell and Dillehay. An animated discussion on the need of new recruits for the Woman's Missionary Union Training school. Mrs. C. E. Malone led in this discussion. "World Comrades" was a reading by Sarah Bloodworth. The "Girl's Auxiliary" of the First Baptist church of Decatur presented a playette entitled: "A Dream with a Mission." This was the program carried out according to Mrs. H. P. Webb, publicity chairman of the association.

There will be a convocation of Decatur Chapter Friday evening. Please attend. By order of the H. P. A. H. HARVEY, Secy. Special at 7:30 p. m. adv. 11

Persons having current claims against the estate of the late Morris Grissom will kindly send statements of such to J. A. Warden, 1303 Sixth Avenue S. adv. 16-31.

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SUCCESS:
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Make friends.
Don't worry about the other fellow.

FREDERICK K. Rupperecht, the man who has just brought about the affiliation of American Woolen and Consolidated Textile, must have read in his copy book in the Brooklyn public schools, where he got his education, that "a rolling stone gathers no moss."

"Fred Rupperecht," as he was called then and is called today, went to work for \$2.00 a week as an office boy in a cotton house near Worth Street and Broadway, New York, 35 years ago, and has spent his entire business life there. He was a quiet worker as an office boy, and stuck to that policy even after he became president of Converse & Company, a concern that sells something like a million yards of cotton textiles a day on the average; and later, when he organized the Consolidated Textile Corporation.

It was the same when, a few weeks ago, it was announced that Rupperecht had brought into the Consolidated four directors of the American Woolen Company, including William M. Wood as Director General.

The writers who are fond of asking big men how they achieved success always get the same answer from Rupperecht, namely, "sticking to the job, making friends, and not worrying about what the other fellow is doing."

In the cotton-woolen combination, Rupperecht holds what has always been his own particular job; namely, delivering the goods.

Rupperecht is still right there at Worth Street and Broadway where his first duties were to sweep out the shop and take the coverings off the sample tables. Only nowadays he directs an army of salesmen from a mahogany-lined office.

DELITE THEATER—FRIDAY



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Athens News

The Athens Kiwanis Club held their regular dinner and meeting last night in their hall on West Market street. On account of so much sickness and many of the members out of town, the attendance was somewhat short. The club has accomplished some good things during its short existence. It is the desire of the members of the club to have the words "Kiwanis did it," become a slogan of household word in every home of the community.

Rev. Thos. Huck, of the First Presbyterian church, has been busy this week arranging for the special revival services to be held in his church during next week. Rev. E. T. Orr, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Humbolt, Tenn., will be here and conduct the music for the services during the week. On Monday evening Dr. Henry M. Edmonds, of the Independent Presbyterian church of Birmingham, will come and do the preaching in the services throughout the week. This series of services are planned on the most spiritual basis and for the uplift of the entire community and will be a great help to the church life and religious activities of the city and community at large. It is a rare treat for the community to have two distinguished Presbyterian divines in its midst for special services.

DECATUR CHAPTER NO. 38, R. A. M. Albany, Ala., Jan. 17, 23

Dear Companion:

There will be a convocation of Decatur Chapter Friday evening. Please attend.

By order of the H. P. A. H. HARVEY, Secy. Special at 7:30 p. m. adv. 11

NOTICE

Persons having current claims against the estate of the late Morris Grissom will kindly send statements of such to J. A. Warden, 1303 Sixth Avenue S. adv. 16-31.

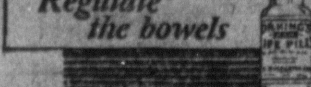
CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends who were so kind in the sickness and death of our dear son and brother. May God bless each and every one of our prayer.
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Grissom and family.

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We carry a complete line of Double and Single Compact Vanity Boxes. Phone 8. McDougald and Woodward. adv. 11.

CHAPTER MEETS

Decatur Chapter No. 38 R. A. M. will confer the R. A. degree Friday night at 7 p. m.

All R. A. Masons are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments. By order of the H. P. A. B. HARVEY, Sec'y. Jan. 17-18. adv.

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—ADDED ATTRACTION—

Homer L. Holt, the world's greatest skater and his educated monkey. School children's matinee Friday Afternoon.

All school children will be admitted for 10c from 2 to 5 P. M. Friday.

REGULAR ADMISSION 10c, 20c and 30c.

THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT
TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

DEC. 30, 1922.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$2,161,906.10	Capital Stock	\$ 162,000.00
Commercial		Surplus Fund	162,000.00
paper bought	\$122,945.00	Undivided prof. and res.	43,326.93
Commodity	260,332.10	Deposits	4,075,756.93
Call Loans	600,000.00		
	983,277.10		

LIABILITIES

Stocks and Bonds	161,278.50
Overdrafts	223.81
Banking Houses (16)	90,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	
(16)	36,750.00
Real Estate	8,100.00
Building Account	3,805.22
Cash and due from banks	997,243.13
	\$4,443,083.86

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Mother-To-Be, Read This—

Here is a wonderful message to all expectant mothers. When the Little One arrives, you can have that moment of joy free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used Mother's Friend and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes."

Write for valuable free illustrated book, "Motherhood and the Baby," containing important authoritative information which every expectant mother should have, and all about "Mother's Friend," to Bradstreet Regulator Company, 24-26, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold by druggists everywhere.

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NEWS OF MOULTON AND LAWRENCE COUNTY

MOULTON, Ala., Jan. 18.—(Special)—I. J. Brown, General Agent of the Department of Conservation of Alabama has been in Lawrence county for the past several days giving special attention to hunters through this portion of the Alabama Forest Reservation; he finds that almost without exception they are killing game without license. Friday he had two men taken before E. H. Martin, a justice of the peace in the Mount Hope precinct. The men plead guilty and were each fined twenty dollars for hunting without license or a permit in the reservation, both of them then took out license for hunting and were given permits to hunt in the national reservation. It appears that this is the first enforcement of the game laws in the county and it rather speedily met judgment; arrests were made at about one o'clock and before five the trials had been held and the fines paid. Many hunters in the county disregard the law not so much as a violation of the law as an act of carelessness.

Along with the official changes taking place at court house in Moulton

this week others have followed at the new postoffice, among them being the transfer of Mrs. C. C. Walker from clerk in the office to clerk at the court house for probate judge W. R. Jackson. Mrs. Walker is succeeded at the postoffice by Mrs. Libby Berryhill who has been acting as clerk for many months in the court house.

B. M. Lufburrow, head of the Alabama Forest Reservation in Lawrence county, returned Saturday from Athens, Tennessee where he had been to attend an Allotment Conference of the forestry service men. It was attended by the directors from the Alabama Reservation and from the Cherokee Forest Reservation, in the southeastern part of Tennessee and in the edge of Georgia and Carolina. Mr. Lufburrow reports that an allotment has been allowed for the forest roads approximating a total of \$9,000; also for completion of at least twenty-eight miles of telephone service, the allotment will permit the work on roads during the greater part of the year.

For Pure Drugs and Service phone 8, McDougald & Woodard. adv 16.

It is unusual for all applicants for teachers' license to pass in any one county, yet this happened in Lawrence for the examination given in December, according to reports received here from the State Department of Education. The number was small who wrote the examination, however, two whites, Mr. Walter Bell second grade and Mrs. Ida Anderson, the same; three negroes who each received a third grade certificate.

Lawrence county had as its representatives at the inauguration of Governor Brandon Monday, W. J. Lee, J. R. Armstrong, P. M. Houston and W. H. Smith, of Town Creek, Wheeler Smith, of Mount Hope, several citizens from Courtland, Robert Henderson and Andrew Walker, of Moulton, all have been ardent supporters of the present governor.

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FOR THE RELIEF OF
Coughs, Colds, Croup
Whooping Cough, Hoarseness
Bronchitis
—SOLD EVERYWHERE—

GOVERNOR ENTERTAINS 200,000 AT BARBECUE



True to his pre-election promises, Governor Jack Walton, of Oklahoma, entertained 200,000 persons at his two-day barbecue during the inauguration ceremonies. L. R. McCann superintended the preparation of the barbecue, over which a regiment of State troops stood guard to preserve order. Scores of old-time fiddlers helped entertain the crowd. Among the thousands of Indians present the photographer caught Chief Lone Wolf, Cheyenne, conversing with Pawnee Bill, famous as a showman and old-time scout. Three coffee pots, each containing 10,000 cups of coffee, furnished the liquid beverage.

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\$1.00 Day Friday: Hundreds of people have come to Matlock's Big January Sale and have been delighted with wonderful bargains, and they like the Matlock honest way of selling goods. All Merchandise marked in plain figures. One price to all—We invite you to come Friday and you will be delighted with wonderful \$1.00 Bargains—Friday Only.

10 yards Gingham, fast colors, solid and stripes, Friday, \$1.00
8 yards for

5 yards Romper Cloth, stripes and Solid colors, Friday \$1.00
5 yards for

10 yards Curtain Scrims, Friday, 10 yards \$1.00
for

8 yards 36 inch Bleached Sheetting Friday 8 yards \$1.00
for

Five pairs women lisle Hose, Friday five pairs \$1.00
for

8 yards fine Gingham, solid and stripes, Friday, \$1.00
10 yards for

42 inch Serge, all wanted colors, \$1.50 value, Friday, \$1.00
yard

2 1-2 yards 9-4 Bleached and unbleached Pepperel Sheetting Friday, 2 1-2 yards for \$1.00

5 yards best grade Bleached Sheetting, 5 yards \$1.00
for

Five pairs Boys' and Girls' Hose, Black and Brown, Friday \$1.00
5 pair for

5 yards New Spring Gingham, new plaids and checks, Friday \$1.00
5 yards for

Men's Heavy part wool Sweaters, Friday, each \$1.00

2 Men's Blue Work Shirts, worth \$1.00 each, Friday, \$1.00
2 for

Men's \$2.00 Dress Shirts, all sizes, Friday, each \$1.00

10 pair Children's 15c Hose, black and brown, Friday, 10 pair for \$1.00

4 yards 39c Gingham, new patterns, 32 inches wide, Friday, \$1.00
4 yards for

Boys' part wool Sweaters, Friday \$1.00

Men's Heavy Grade Overalls, Friday pair \$1.00

Choice all Misses' Hats Friday \$1.00

10 pair Men's good Cotton Hose assorted colors, 10 pairs for \$1.00

5 yards best grade percale, fast colors, Friday, 5 yards \$1.00
for

Men's \$1.50 pair check pants Friday, pair \$1.00

Choice all Children's Hats, Friday \$1.00

Youth's good heavy Overalls, Friday \$1.00

8 pairs Men's Hose, grays only, Friday 8 pair \$1.00
for

6 yards good grade Percale, light and dark patterns, Friday, 6 yards for \$1.00

40 inch Georgette in all colors, Friday, yard \$1.00

10 yards Brown Sheetting, Friday, 10 yards \$1.00
for

4 yards 39 Shirt Madras, Friday 4 yards \$1.00
for

5 pairs Men's 25c Lisle Hose, all colors, Friday 5 pair \$1.00
for

5 yards Blue Shirting, Friday five yards \$1.00
for

3 yards 49c Curtain Scrim and Net, Friday, 3 yards \$1.00
for

9 yards 36 inch Brown Sheetting Friday 9 yards \$1.00
for

3 yards 69c finest Madras with Silk Stripe, Friday 3 yards for \$1.00

3 pair mens' fine Silk Hose, assorted colors, Friday, 3 pair \$1.00
for

10 yards light and dark Callico, Friday, 10 yards \$1.00
for

2 pairs Men's 75c Silk Hose Friday and Saturday, 2 pair \$1.00
for

8 yards heavy 36 inch Brown Sheetting, Friday 8 yards \$1.00
for

Women's \$1.50 fine Silk Hose, black brown and white, Friday, pair \$1.00

Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits, Friday, suit \$1.00

4 yards 35c Blue Denim, best grade, Friday, 4 yards \$1.00
for

5 yards 29c Curtain Scrim, Friday, 5 yards \$1.00
for

Men's, Boys', Women's and Girls' Shoes, \$3.00 to \$5.00 values, broken lots Friday pr. \$1.00

Choice, all women's fall and winter Hats, Friday, each \$1.00

Men's, Boys', Women's and Girls' Shoes, \$3.00 to \$5.00 values, broken lots Friday pr. \$1.00



Take Home a Carload of Bargains—

Dollar Day

Boys' Wool Pants, all sizes Friday \$1.00

GOOD SOAP FOR TWO CENTS A POUND

Make It At Home By This
Easy Process—Takes Less
Than 30 Minutes.

Nowadays, more and more women are doing as their mothers did and are making their own soap. If you have never tried it, you will be surprised to see how easy it is to make good soap. Not much hard work or heating soap, just for using kitchen scraps and waste grease, together with a can of Merry War Lye, the safe and sure soapmaker.


In the old days when soap was made by the boiling process it took nearly all day to make a kettle of soap. Now it is hardly any work at all—requires no boiling—takes less than 30 minutes. Saves you money and gives you all the pure, clean soap you need for kitchen, laundry and all household purposes.

You will find simple directions for soap-making on the label of every can of Merry War Lye.

Merry War Powdered Lye comes in a convenient can with revolving sifter, top that cannot be removed without the key, releases sifter and preserves contents. It is convenient to buy and easy to use.

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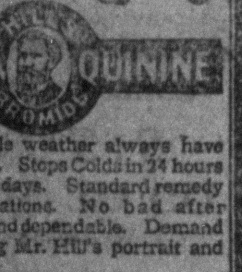
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Colds



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clears the head, loosens irritating
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as she should, the chances are you are not
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she gets goes for the upkeep of her body—
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pounds twice a day—along with alfalfa
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flow will surprise you. Start today!
Your dealer can supply you.

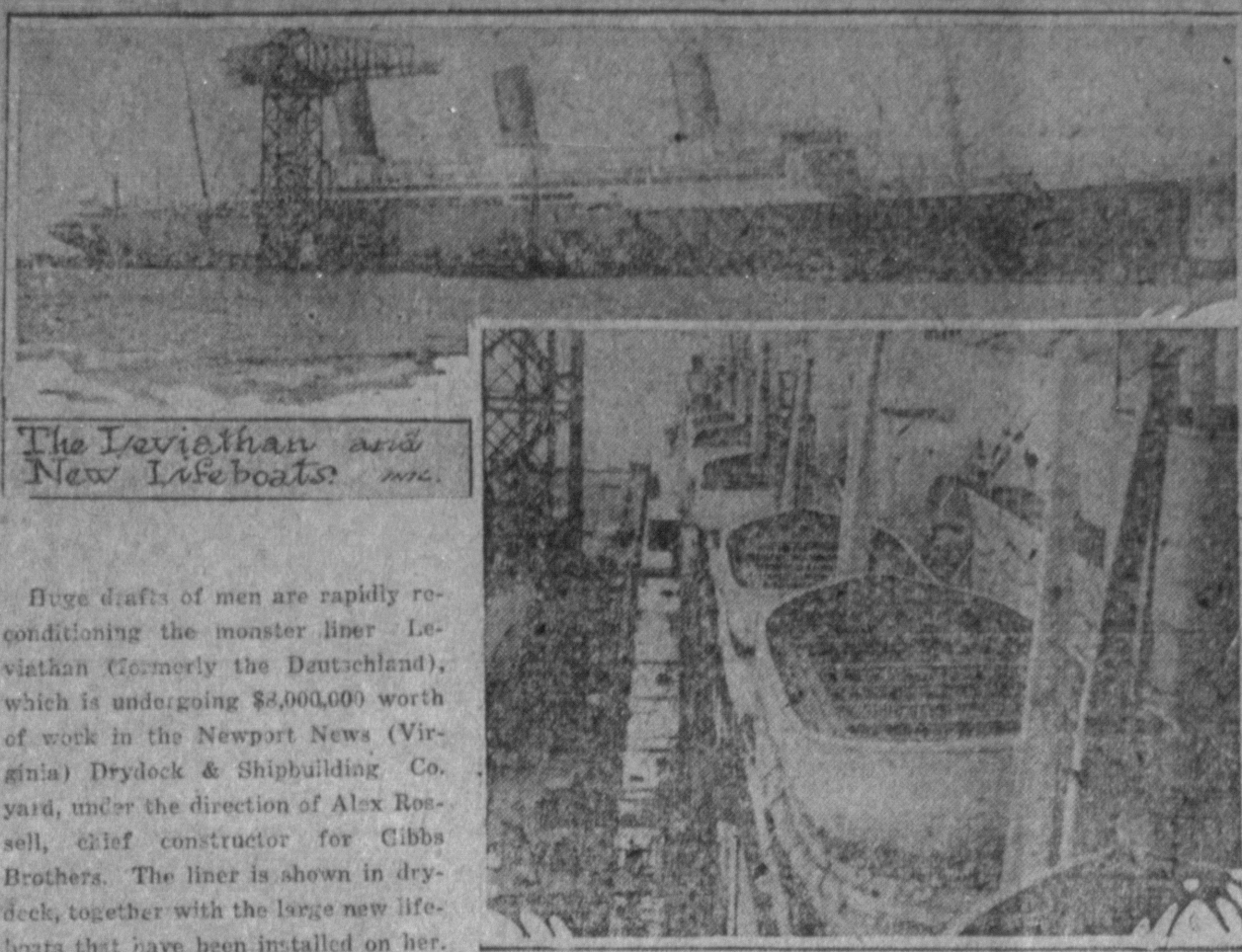
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GETTING LEVIATHAN INTO SHAPE AGAIN



The Leviathan and
New Lifeboats.

Huge drafts of men are rapidly re-
conditioning the monster liner Le-
viathan (formerly the Deutschland),
which is undergoing \$2,000,000 worth
of work in the Newport News (Vir-
ginia) Drydock & Shipbuilding Co.
yard, under the direction of Alex Ros-
sell, chief constructor for Gibbs
Brothers. The liner is shown in dry-
dock, together with the large new life-
boats that have been installed on her.

New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Wives are
devoted to their husbands, naturally,
and are willing to do anything they
can to help them along, but after all,
a diamond ring is a diamond ring,
and one valued at \$1,000 is not to be
treated lightly. Mr. Alaaq Mason had
a hard time the other night getting
bail to keep him out of jail, in conse-
quence of this fact Mr. and
Mrs. Mason were dining at
one of our most festive restaurants,
when a dutiful policeman sniffed the
fragrance from the flask Mr. Mason
was using to brighten up their din-
ner. Mrs. Mason accompanied her hus-
band to the police station and gave
all the sympathy in the world; but
when the hundred dollars in cash he
offered as bail proved insufficient,
she wasn't able to give anything more
than that same sympathy. Mr. Mas-
on had a brilliant idea. My wife's
engagement ring! he cried. That's
worth \$1,000. I'll give you that as
security. "M-m-m!" murmured his
wife. "No, I don't think I'll let you
put that up." The door leading to
the cells opened ominously. "I'll go
out and raise bail," she added. Even-

tually she found it among some
friends, but Mr. Mason had to sit
behind the bars while she did it.

Here in New York Main Street is
being listened to as never before on
the subject of the place of motion
pictures in America. Attention is re-
verting to some of the "I told you
so's," who from the beginning of the
motion picture debacle claimed the
trouble was not in production but in
the scheme of distribution which the
producing powers have foisted on the
exhibitors. Among those who can now
sit back and feel content is W. W.
Hodkinson, President of one of the
largest independent distributing sys-
tems. Mr. Hodkinson for almost a
year back did missionary work among
the women of the country, particu-
larly by addressing their clubs and var-
ious federations, pointing out the
inevitability if the old system of pro-
duction-controlled distribution was
adhered to. Now, Mr. Hodkinson is to
be one of the speakers at the conven-
tion of the Institute of Government
in Washington this month, to analyze
the problem in light of the present
crisis. He says, "I believe that the
women of America should assist in
every way possible to establish a sys-
tem for the distribution of motion
pictures, whereby each picture may
stand on its own merits and under
which good pictures will be encour-
aged and poor pictures discouraged." He
should have a responsive audience
in the Institute's attempt to thresh
out the causes for unrest in all mat-
ters which affect the public inter-
est.

"The chorines' guardian angel" may
sound like a flippant title but it is
wrapped in all the veneration in the
world as well as love, when it is used
along Broadway and it always
means Father Martin E. Fahy. Father
Fahy denies that he does anything
much. "What I try to be," he says,
"is the friend who stands by to help
without question when the need
arises." And the need arises often
on Broadway. In the two years that
Father Fahy has been the actors' chaplain,
representing the Catholic
Actors' Guild, he has helped hundreds
in ways that wouldn't seem, offhand,
to come within his duties. Chorus
girls out of jobs and broke, mothers
who want their runaway daughters
found and brought back to them, ac-
tors stranded on the road—in all their
troubles they turn to him, whatever
their creed or their race, and he is
usually able to find some way out.

In the fourth and last bill to be
given by the Chauve Souris, M. Baliff
has given us the best-loved acts from
the other three bills together with
some new ones which are as good as
the best of the others. The wooden
soldiers are on once more, as are the
magnificent Tartar dance from the
first bill, and "The Black Hussars."
Baliff comes forth as a playwright,
moreover, on this bill, in "Napoleon's
Love." One of the particularly good
things among the new members is
that grandest hymn of labor, the
"Volga Boatman's Song."

Is it cruelty to a duck to make him
disappear into thin air? An agent
for the S. P. C. A. declared it is and
arrested a vaudeville magician who
disposed of ducks thus summarily in
his act. The ducks, contended the
agent, must be packed into the man's
pocket, and pockets are not properly
ventilated to make a duck healthy and

happy. The magician proved to the
satisfaction of the court, however,
that his trick ducks didn't mind it at
all—that they quite entered into the
spirit of the game just as a five horse
does. The audience present when the
arrest was made thought the S. P. C.
A. man was a comedian added to the
act and applauded him vigorously.

IF YOU NEED A MEDICINE

YOU SHOULD HAVE THE BEST

Have you ever stopped to reason
why it is that so many products that
are extensively advertised, all at
once drop out of sight and are soon
forgotten? The reason is plain—the
article did not fulfill the premises of
the manufacturer. This applies more
particularly to a medicine. A medi-
cinal preparation that has real cura-
tive value almost sells itself, as like
an endless chain system the remedy
is recommended by those who have
been benefitted, to those who are in
need of it.

A prominent druggist says "Take
for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-
Root, a preparation I have sold for
many years and never hesitate to re-
commend, for in almost every case
it shows excellent results. So many
of my customers testify. No other
kidney remedy has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and
verified testimony of thousands who
have used the preparation, the suc-
cess of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is
due to the fact, so many people
claim, that it fulfills almost every
wish in overcoming kidney, liver and
bladder ailments, corrects urinary
troubles and neutralizes the uric acid
which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle
of Swamp-Root by Pareek Post. Ad-
dress Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bingham-
ton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also
mention this paper. Large and medi-
um size bottles for sale at all drug
stores. adv. 18 11.

If its Service you want phone Al-
bany 8. The Pure Drug and Service
Store, McDougald & Woodard, advt 11

RICH MEN'S WIVES.

Princess Today.

In "Rich Men's Wives" the Gas-
nier-made Perfected Picture that is
scheduled to open at the Princess
Theatre today. One of the big situ-
ations shows Clair Windsor in a
tiresome battle for her little son,
(Baby Richard Hendrick).

She is the rich man's wife who is
driven from her home a sacrifice to
greed and envy. An overwhelming
yearning for her baby boy drives
her back to the scene of her greatest
unhappiness, and she arrives in time
to see the frivolous society buy-
flies using her child as a medium of
a laugh. Furiously she bursts through
the ring of guests and lift her son
from a fountain bowl, then turns her
wrath upon the father who had aided
in the joke on the child.

House Peters plays the role of
the father and others in the cast are
Rosemary Theby, Charles Clary, Gas-
ton Glass, Myrtle Stedman, Mildred
June, William Austin and Martha
Maddox.

A real horse show and palatial set-
tings are important factors in the
production, which is the initial re-
lease of the newly-formed Al Licht-
man production. adv.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, MORGAN COUNTY PROBATE COURT, JANUARY 15, 1923.

In the matter of the Estate of New-
ton B. Hall, Deceased.
To Frank W. Hall, of Boston,
Mass., Mrs. Blanche Guertin of Chi-
cago, Ill., and any other person in
interest:—

Mrs. W. E. Todd, as the Adminis-
tratrix of the estate of said Deceased,
having filed her account, vouchers,
evidence, and statement for final set-
tlement of her said Administration,
It is ordered that the 12 day of
February, 1923, be appointed a day
on which to make such settlement, at
which time all persons interested can
appear and contest the said settle-
ment if they think proper.

Witness my hand, this 15th day of
January, 1923.
L. P. Troup,
Judge of Probate.
J 18-25- F 1

WAITER OFFENDS, PATRON FIRES GUN

(Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Waiters and
customers took to cover early today
when James Bonough Smith, head of
the Smith Construction company, of
Jenaville, La., drew a revolver and
fired four shots, according to the po-
lice after a negro waiter had been
disrespectful, as alleged by the South-
ern.

After Mr. Smith was taken to a
police station and charged with as-
sault and carrying concealed weapons,
he discovered that his roll of money,
which he said contained \$400, was
missing.

Smith was lunching in the restau-
rant, when his check dropped to the
floor. He asked a passing waiter to
retrieve it. The waiter responded that
he was busy. The visitor then drew
a revolver and fired four shots, none
of which took effect, according to the
police.

COMMISSIONS ISSUED.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18.—
(Special)—S. H. Blau, who became
secretary of state at noon Monday,
and employees of his department have
been kept busy issuing commissions
to state and county officials elected
in the November election and to jury
commissioners who were appointed
by Governor Kilby shortly before he
retired.

Harrell G. Davis, attorney-general,
and George W. Ellis, state treasurer,
who succeeded themselves, received
their commissions for a full term of
four years. They took their oaths of
office and entered upon their new
terms with Governor Brandon.

SUCH IS LIFE.

"Eighteen years ago I had three
fits broken, fourteen years ago my
right leg; eleven years ago I nearly
went over with typhoid fever and
since then have had awful stomach
and liver trouble. Was filled with gas
most all the time. I would have colic
attacks so bad as to become uncon-
scious. No medicine helped me and
doctors advised an operation. One day
walking with a stranger he recom-
mended Mayr's Wonderful Remedy,
which helped me at once." It is a
simple, harmless preparation that re-
moves the catarrhal mucus from the
intestinal tract and allays the in-
flammation which causes practically
all stomach, liver and intestinal ail-
ments, including appendicitis. One
dose will convince or money refunded.
Druggists everywhere. adv.

MASONIC THEATER—TODAY

"—but if you
marry me, the dog
goes."

"I guess I'll keep
me dog."

**LAURETTE
TAYLOR**
in
PEG O' MY HEART

Adapted by Mary O'Hara
by J. Hartley Manners
Directed by King Vidor

Miss Taylor created the role of Peg in the
original stage play, which has been per-
formed more than 15,000 times.

Added: An Aesop Fable.
Special Added Attraction: Mr. B. B. Pickens will sing "Peg
O' My Heart" each night at 8:45.
Music by our orchestra.
Performances 2, 4:15, 6:30, 8:45. Admission 10c, 20c, 30c

YOUR BODY MACHINE

That occasional headache, that tired exhausted feeling, loss of ap-
petite, the casual cold, all these are danger signals, Nature's warning
that something has gone wrong with your human machine and that
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